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REPLY/AMENDMENT				Attorney Docket No.		1341.1163			
REPLY/AMENDMENT			Application Number		10/694,274				
FEE TRANSMITTAL				Filing Date		October 29, 2003			
			First Named Inventor		Mitsuo WATANABE et al.				
				Group Art Unit		2876			
AMOUNT ENCLOSED 110.			110.00	Examiner Name		CAPUTO, LISA M.			
FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 10/01/03)									
CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Nu Previously F		Number Extra	Ra			alculations
TOTAL CLAIMS	8		-	20 =	0 X \$ 18.			\$	0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	2		- 3 = 0		0	X \$ 86.	00 =	= 0.00	
Since an Official Action set an <u>original</u> due date of <u>June 12, 2004</u> , petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$110); 2 months (\$420); 3 months (\$950); 4 months (\$1,480); 5 months (\$2,010)):									110.00
If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$330.00)									
If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$110.00)								<u> </u>	
Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00)								<u> </u>	
Total of above Calculations =								\$	110.00
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28)								\$	440.00
TOTAL FEES DUE = (1) If entry (1) is less than entry (2), entry (3) is "0".									110.00
(2) If entry (2) is less than 20, change entry (2) to "20".									
(4) If entry (4) is less than entry (5), entry (6) is "0".									
(5) If entry (5) is less than 3, change entry (5) to *3*. METHOD OF PAYMENT									
☐ Check enclosed as payment.									
Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No. below.									
No payment is enclosed and no charges to the Deposit Account are authorized at this time (unless specifically required to obtain a filing date).									
GENERAL AUTHORIZATION									
If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit									
any overpayment or charge any additional fees necessary to: Deposit Account No. 19-3935									
Deposit Account No. 19-3935 Deposit Account Name STAAS & HALSEY LLP									
The Commissioner is also authorized to credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees required under									
37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees) or 37 CFR 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application, including									
any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 USC § 120 (e.g.,									
continuations/divisionals/CIPs under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and/or continuations/divisionals/CPAs under 37 CFR 1.53(d)) to maintain pendency hereof or of any such related application.									
SUBMITTED BY: STAAS & HALSEY LLP									
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Mitsuo WATANABE et al.

Serial No. 10/694,274

Group Art Unit: 2876

Confirmation No. 2798

Filed: October 29, 2003

Examiner: CAPUTO, LISA M.

For:

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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed March 12, 2004, and having a period for response set to expire on June 12, 2004. A Petition for a one-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to July 12, 2004.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.